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Amendment

In the Specification

Please amend the application by replacing the Sequence Listing in the application with the attached forty-two (42) pages of Sequence Listing.

Remarks

The specification has been amended, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(d), to annotate the amino acid and/or nucleotide sequences disclosed in the specification.

Declaration under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f)

I declare that the material on the diskette is identical to the enclosed paper copy of the Sequence Listing and the sequences as filed in the application on April 6, 2000, that the Sequence Listing does not add new matter to the application, and that all statements made on

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information and belief are believed to be true and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

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I hereby certify that this paper, along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed, is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

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